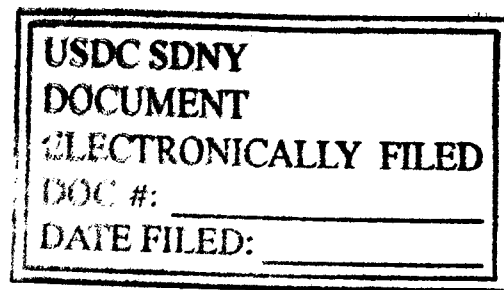


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



-v-

06 CR 345 (CM)

RALPH ARRED,

Defendant.

McMahon, J.

ORDER ACCEPTING THE PLEA ALLOCUTION BEFORE
A U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

On April 19, 2006, United States Magistrate Judge George A. Yanthis presided over the plea allocution in the above captioned matter and reported and recommended that the named defendant's plea of guilty be accepted. The Court having reviewed the transcript of the allocution, the charging papers, and all other pertinent parts of the record, finds that the plea accords with the requirements of Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. Accordingly, the Court adjudges defendant guilty of the offense(s) to which the guilty plea was offered. The Clerk is directed to enter the plea.

SO ORDERED:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Colleen McMahon".

Colleen McMahon, U.S.D.J.

June 28, 2006
White Plains, NY